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Applicant: Hager et al.

Art Unit: 3662

Serial No.: 10/657,971

Examiner: Alsomiri, Isam A.

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For:

METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR

DETERMINATION OF A FILTER CENTER

FREQUENCY

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In response to the Office Action dated May 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: